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For: FOOTWEAR AND OTHER SYSTEMS INCLUDING A

FLEXIBLE MESH OR BRAIDED CLOSURE SYSTEM

## RESPONSE TO INTERVIEW SUMMARY

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office Customer Service Window, Randolph Building 401 Dulany Street Alexandria, VA 22314

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to MPEP §713.04, Applicants wish to confirm the telephonic interview of June 19, 2007 with Examiner Kavanaugh. All claims were discussed along with how Applicant's invention differed from Allen and ways to amend the claims to overcome this reference and other art of record. Applicant agrees with the Examiner's Interview Summary.

Respectfully submitted.

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